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PUBLIC DEVELOPMENT (195 40) Department

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G.O. No. 17

Dated 28—2—1949.

[Despatch Abstract.]

ARTS AND CRAFTS - Madras State Aid to Industries Act of 1949 Section 17-A - Notification - Issued.

DEPARTMENT OF INDUSTRIES & COMMERCE, MADRAS.

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From:- The Director of Industries & Commerce,
Triplicane, Madras.

To:- The Secretary to Government,
Firka Development Department, Madras

No.2923-L3/48, dated 29-12-48.

Sir,

Sub:- Intensive Khadi Scheme - Invention of New Model Charka by Sri K.Thirunarayanan of Parutpet - Subsidy - Payment of.
Ref: Government Memorandum No.746.FD.VI-2, dated 17-8-48.

The application of Sri K.Thirunarayanan of Parupet for subsidy of Rs.500/- under the Madras State Aid to Industries Act for carrying out certain improvements to a new Model charka designed by him has been investigated, with reference to Madras College Industries Loans and Subsidy rules, 1948.

I wish to point out to Government that section 17 A of the State Aid to Industries Act provides for the Board of Revenue being empowered to grant Aid to cottage Industries without reference to the Board of Industries. Rule VIII of the Cottage Industries loans and subsidy rules issued under the Act in 1941, empowered the Board of Revenue to grant Aid. In the Rules as re-issued in G.O.Ms.No.237, Firka Development dated 22-4-1948, the intention appears to have been to substitute the terms "Director of Industries for the term "Board of Revenue", but the Director has not been empowered to pass final orders. In any event, as the substantive provision in section 17A of the Act does not permit of the Government empowering the Director of Industries, it appears that it is not possible to grant him powers under any mere rules framed under the Act. The result is that at present neither the Director nor the Board of Revenue is competent to pass final orders granting or refusing aid. Section 20 of the Act also does not help, as it relates to the powers of Government. The rules as they stand while they prescribe the procedure in respect of a number of details, are discreetly silent as to the authority competant to grant loans. In the circumstances, I presume that even petty cases of aid ~~af~~ to cottage industries should be placed before the Board of Industries pending an amendment of the Act and rules. I request that Government may be pleased to clarify the position.

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For Director of Industries & Commerce

(True copy)

Superintendent,
Madras Record Office.

GOVERNMENT OF MADRAS.
Abstract.

ACTS AND RULES - Madras State Aid to Industries Act of 1922 - Section 17-A - Notification - Issued.

FIRKA DEVELOPMENT DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.172 F.D Dated the 10th February 1949.

Read: 1. G.O.Ms.No.237, F.D., dated 22-4-1948.
2. From the Director of Industries & Commerce, No.2923/L3/48, dated 29-12-1948.

ORDER:

The following notification will be published in the Fort St. George Gazette:-

Under sub-section (1) of section 17-A of the Madras State Aid to Industries Act, 1922 (Madras Act V of 1923), His Excellency the Governor is hereby empowers the Director of Industries and Commerce to grant aid to any cottage industry under that sub-section.

(BY ORDER OF HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR)

SD/- x x
Secretary to Government.

To the Director of Industries & Commerce, Madras.
To the Superintendent, Government Press, Madras, for publication of the Notification.
To the Legal Department.
To the Accountant General, through Finance.
To the Finance Department.
To the Board of Revenue, Madras.

(True copy)

Superintendent,
Madras Record Office.

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